

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the PATENT application of

Randy Mersky et al

Serial No.: 09/931,187

Filed: August 17, 2001



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For: Method and Apparatus for Facilitating Manual Payments for
Transactions Conducted Over a Network

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of five months, extending the time period for responding to the Notice of Missing Parts of October 1, 2001 from December 1, 2001 to May 1, 2002. Applicant further petitions that any and all additional extensions of the term necessary to render timely the filing of the accompanying documents be granted.


Attached is Check No.5851 in the amount of \$980.00 in payment of the statutory fee for a five-month extension of time. The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

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Respectfully submitted,


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